

TOWN PESTS



The Crepe Hanger was born wearing Blue Glasses, with a Hammer in each Hand. He Worries, he Stews, he Frets, he Complains, he Knocks, he Gossips and he Views With Alarm, but the Old Town wags on just the Same because Nobody takes his Advice or pays any Attention to the Old Nuisance.

Local Addenda

T. H. Carskaddon of Dalton was in town Monday.

Miss Ernestine Holman went to Salisbury Tuesday.

Wm. Cousins went to Moberly Sunday on a short visit to relatives.

Jess Dameron came Saturday from Kansas City for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Davis and children returned Tuesday from Kirksville.

Miss Bertha Cuddy came Monday from Kansas City to visit with relatives.

Rolston Ray motored from Kansas City Saturday to spend Sunday with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bixby of Brunswick attended the funeral of James Mason Sunday.

Mrs. Stevenson of Armstrong is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Burns this week.

Mrs. J. O. Richardson and daughter and Mrs. C. C. Carlstead were in Salisbury Tuesday.

Miss Martha Grubbs of Kansas City left Friday after a visit with Mrs. Bert Worsham.

Mrs. Veatch and Miss Ida are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Dougherty in the country this week.

Miss Marguerite Bunton returned Sunday from Hannibal where she was a guest at a house party.

Mrs. Sam Harding and daughter left Saturday for Kansas City after a visit with Mrs. Wallace Agee.

Miss Minnie Berger of Dalton was in town Friday before leaving for Iowa, where she will visit relatives.

Corn Cutter For Sale—good shape two row hinge blade—at Buster O'Brian's place. See John E. Behring. 32-33

Mrs. Ryan, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Tom Martin, returned to her home in Kansas City Monday.

George F. Jordan and family, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jordan and also John Alspaugh and

family, left last Tuesday for an auto trip to Stansberry and Albany in Geny County. Mrs. Alspaugh accompanied them. The party expects to return Friday.

Miss Fronie Friez went to Moberly Monday.

See the new cotton crepe waists at Miss Anna Ruckers. 32

New serge jumper dresses. Call and see them. Miss Anna Ruckers. 32

Children school hats and tams at lowest prices. Miss Ann Rucker. 32

Mrs. Swanton of Kansas City is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Al Kilke, this week.

Miss Alla Mae Latham returned Friday from Glasgow where she has been visiting relatives.

Mrs. J. W. Stevenson of Armstrong is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Burns.

Miss Anna Rucker has the largest millinery stock in the county. Don't fail to see her stock and get her prices. 32

Mrs. J. H. Davis and children of Salisbury returned home Friday after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Bert Worsham.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brewer took their little girl, Bernice Roe to Kansas City where she has been visiting Miss Celeste Norwell.

J. O. Richardson and Miss Ida Lou motored to Prairie Hill Sunday. Mrs. Richardson's mother, Mrs. J. H. Evans, returned with them.

J. Gordon West, a son of Dr. W. D. West of Mendon, enrolled Tuesday in the Chillicothe Business College for a course in accounting.

Byron Maugruder of Triplet is a new barber employed at the Jeter & Brewer tonsorial parlors, having arrived the first of the week.

Chillicothe Business College opened its 32nd year Tuesday with the largest attendance in its history, students entering from 32 states. 32

Mr. and Mrs. George Jordan and family who have been visiting relatives here, and Mrs. John Alspaugh left Tuesday for Albany, Missouri.

Miss Mamie Stockard left for Salisbury Monday to teach in the grade school of that place. She is a daughter of Rev. D. M. Stockard of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Brewer left for Kansas City the first of the week, taking their infant child along for consultation with Kansas City specialists.

Mabel Zimmerman, daughter of W. F. Zimmerman of near Triplet re-enrolled Monday in the stenographic department of the Chillicothe Business College.

It can be arranged for those entering any time next week or the Monday following to join the new classes which were organized at the big Fall Opening of the Chillicothe Business College last Tuesday. 32

Miss Isabelle Baker is spending her vacation with her brother at Roadhouse, Ill., and sister, Mrs. H. M. Thomas, Kansas City, and after a few days visit at home will take up her position in school work at Kirksville.

Geo. V. Saffarous of Palmyra, Mo. and vice president of the Missouri Farm Bureau Federation is in Chariton County this week holding meetings among the farmers in the interest of the U. S. Grain Growers. Mr.

Saffarous with County Agent Jay held a meeting Tuesday night at Forest Green. About 60 farmers attended and unanimously supported the U. S. Grain Growers plan of marketing the farmers grain.

Royalston Ray and James Simcock of Kansas City came Saturday to spend the week end, returning Tuesday. The former is a son of O. P. Ray and Simcock is a son-in-law of R. P. Herbert.

The Eastern Star met Tuesday evening, the first of the meetings coming on the fall and winter schedule. The next meeting will be Tuesday Sept. 19. A large attendance is confidently expected at the meetings this winter.

Hereford yearling steers, two and three years old, lots of one hundred or more, for sale on time to responsible parties who own their land and have feed to feed them. For details address Lee Live Stock Commission Co., Kansas City, Mo. 32

The many friends of Cal Hubbard will be pleased to know that he has about entirely recovered from his recent typhoid sickness. The doctors have allowed him to go on full rations now and he is rapidly gaining in strength and weight.

Miss Lucile Wier went to Moberly last Friday to submit to an operation for appendicitis. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wier accompanied their daughter who was operated on Monday. Mr. Wier returned Wednesday and reports the operation a complete success.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry Owens held a quilting bee at their residence Wednesday afternoon. Six ladies were present, and after the afternoon's work was done a very dainty lunch was served. A most enjoyable time was had by all in attendance. Thursday afternoon there was another party at the same place and the quilt was finished.

J. M. Gentry arrived in Keytesville from Camas, Washington Sunday. While here he was a guest of his brother-in-law, Wm. Cousins. Mr. Gentry was formerly a resident of Keytesville some forty years ago, and he claims to still be able to pick up some of the old friends and acquaintances and Sunday he left for a short trip to different points near here. Moberly included, where he has relatives and ordered tombstones for his wife's grave. Mrs. Gentry was buried here in 1877. Mr. Gentry left today for Mountain Grove, Mo., to visit one brother and sister and other relatives.

OBITUARY

Mr. James Lindley Mason was born April 1, 1884 northeast of Keytesville. He enlisted in the army June 13, 1903. He served three years mostly in the Philippines. He was honorably discharged June 12, 1906.

He was married October 17, 1910 to Miss Wilma Slater of Kansas City. They lived in Kansas City until the past year.

To this union were born three children, James, Virginia and Ronald.

He died Sept. 2, 1921 at the old home place north of town.

Besides his wife and children that survive him, there are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mason, six brothers, Dan, Henry, Doc, Charley, Uriah, Frank and one sister, Mrs. Edgar Waller of Marceline.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday, Sept. 5, by Rev. Duval of Moberly. He was laid to rest in Cornith Cemetery.

FORD AGENCY FOR KEYTESVILLE

It is with considerable satisfaction that W. W. White announces that he has opened a Ford agency in Keytesville. His place of business is in the Sneed building on Bridge street formerly occupied by Jimmy Taylor.

He will carry a complete stock of Ford cars, tractors and trucks together with Ford parts of every description.

The stock arrived in Keytesville Tuesday and is already in place at the new stand.

The Courier bespeaks a success for Mr. White and somehow we rather imagine he is going to be a pretty busy man when one considers he is clerk of the court for the county, mixed up with the elevator at the Wash yards and a Ford dealer. Most men think they are doing about enough when they run a Ford garage.

TIMOTHY SEED FOR SALE

75 bushels No. 1, 2, 3, at my farm 5 miles northwest of Keytesville at \$2.50 per bushel.

32-33 James Wren

RISE IN COTTON MARKET IN SENSATIONAL TURN

The cotton market, after the three day holiday took a most sensational turn of the trading season today, Tuesday, when it soared 200 points, or an advance of \$10 a bale, the maximum allowed in a single day. At the exchange buying was mild, with general buying of contracts for future delivery, October, December, January and March cotton were all included in the sudden rise of \$10 a bale.

As the result of the spectacular jump hundreds of millions of dollars in frozen credits negotiated in the south when the cotton prices were approximately 40 cents, will be relieved.

The upward trend in the market is regarded at the first decisive step in the return to business normalcy. It is expected that with the spectacular turn in cotton other commodities will assume a similar trend and business depression all over the nation will be relieved.

PLAIN VIEW

Ed Pasig is remodeling his house.

We had a fine rain Friday night.

Miss Anna Niemeier visited at Fred Meyers Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Green from Marceline Thursday until Saturday.

Evangelist Turley began a meeting at Plain View Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Niemeier and family visited at Mr. and Mrs. James Devine Sunday.

Those visiting at Fred Meyers Sunday were Mrs. H. M. Lehnhoff and daughter Alma, Mr. and Mrs. Will Underwood and daughter Imogene, Mrs. Ella Lake, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Errig, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Essig and children and Anna Noemeier.

AMERICAN LEGION NOTES FROM NEAR AND AFAR

"I asked her to marry me by taking her hands like I'd seen the French do. She said yes in German; I understood that much." The war romance between a former doughboy of the Rainbow Division and the daughter of a German farmer with whom he was billeted in the Army of Occupation ended in New York last week with the marriage of Everett C. Haughan, Columbus, Ohio, and Franklin Elsie Bauer, Unkelbach on the Rhine, Germany. Two of the bridegroom's buddies of the American Legion of Columbus attended him at the wedding, one acting as best man. The couple will live in Columbus.

With the recent receipt of their state bonus checks, members of the Sturgis, South Dakota, post of the American Legion have pledged \$11,000 of their money for the erection of a \$25,000 community building which is to have a gymnasium, shower bath, bowling alley, rest room and a dance hall for the entire town.

In an address formally opening the new quarters of the Holyoke, Mass. post of the American Legion last week General John J. Pershing complimented the Legion for not participating in politics.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, October 1, 1921, between 1 o'clock a. m. and 5 p. m. at the east front door of the court house in Keytesville in Chariton County, Missouri, I as trustee, under powers given me in a deed of trust dated August 12, 1918, signed by Harry B. Felt and Etta Felt, his wife, filed for record August 16, 1918, recorder in book 46, at page 509, in the office of the recorder of deeds in said county and executed to George W. Bailey as trustee to secure a note therein described on which the installment due August 12, 1921, is now unpaid, will, at the request of the legal holder, who has declared the debt due, under terms of the deed of trust, sell for cash to highest bidder at public vendue the real estate therein described to-wit: The southwest quarter of section twenty-three (23) and the northwest quarter of section twenty-six (26) in township fifty-five (55) range nineteen (19) west 5th P. M., in Chariton County, Missouri, for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and costs for executing this trust.

Geo. W. Bailey, Trustee.

Sept. 9, 16, 23, 30.

Mrs. J. H. Willard and her mother, Mrs. May Broeffle arrived last Thursday. The household goods arrived Sunday night and "we" are now at home in the O. Herring house opposite the courthouse.

Tony Keeting wishes to announce his blacksmith shop will be closed for several days as he is away on a vacation to Salisbury and other places.

DALTON

1 dozen lemons for 75c. Saturday only.—J. L. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. John Flacker and family motored to Moberly Friday.

Mr. George Welker of Salisbury visited his friend, Miss Marie Brandt Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Sasa and daughter, Emma, of south of town were Moberly visitors Monday.

Mrs. R. H. DeLa left for her home at Perry, Iowa Monday after a visit of several weeks with relatives at Dalton.

Specials for Saturday Only—14 lbs best granulated sugar and 3 lbs best peaberry coffee for \$2.00.—J. E. Stewart, Dalton, Mo.

Miss Minnie Berger of Dalton left Thursday for Imogene, Iowa, where she will spend several weeks visiting her cousin, Miss Louella Minich.

Miss Ruth Groyan left Thursday of this week for Chillicothe, Mo., where she will take a commercial course at the business college there.

Dalton high and grade school began the work of the coming year Monday morning with good attendance, interior improvements and a splendid teaching force.

Misses Lydia Groyan and Fronie Friez and Mrs. George Groyan went to Moberly Monday to visit the Woodland hospital where he underwent an operation several weeks ago.

MISSOURI LEADS IN LATE WATERMELON PRODUCTION

1921 Crop in Ten Southeastern Counties Officially Registered as 3,642 Carloads.

Jefferson City, Mo., Sept. 8—Missouri is the leading late watermelon producing state in the country as is shown by the United States Department of Agriculture. The state's recorded yield of this commodity during the current year was 3,642 carloads.

Missouri's foremost watermelon producing counties are those which produce cotton and corn as prolifically, the southeast section below Cape Girardeau, once classed as being a swampy that it could not be drained and therefore considered absolutely worthless save for its timber. Not less than 100 Missouri counties grow watermelons, but the official returns are only from such southeast counties as Scott, Mississippi, Butler, New Madrid, Pemiscot, Dunklin, Cape Girardeau, Oregon, Howell and McDonald. A fair estimate places the entire yield of watermelons of the other producing counties at 1,500,000, so that the production for the entire state this season will approximate 5,150,000 melons.

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A great assortment of colors, new fall Dress Gingham18
Heavy a. c. a. Ticking25
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COMPLETE FALL SHOWING OF SMART OUTER GARMENTS ABOUT HALF LAST YEAR PRICES

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